

# EDWARD V. "SPUCKER" SOCIER

## 1912 - 1996

Edward V. "Spucker" Socier, 83 of Unionville, passed away Tuesday morning, June 11 at his residence.

He was born in Essexville Dec. 31, 1912 the son of Levi and Alvina Miller Socier. He was united in marriage to Elizabeth M. Noss Dec. 31, 1935 and had been a potato farmer most of his lifetime, employed with Fisher Body Division of GM, Flint, as well as crewman on a Great Lakes shipping vessel.

Mr. Socier was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie 1010, Bay City, the Bay City Lodge 169, and had been a member of Knights of Columbus, Essexville. The Sociers are members of Holy Family Catholic Church, Sebawang.

Surviving are his wife Elizabeth, children, Stuart Gary (Janet) Socier of Unionville, Sam Socier and special friend Pam Vogel, Wave Vermeersch of Holt, Betty (Lee) Muthgate, Judy (James) Spinney of Flushing; 23 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Clara VanWert of L'Anse, MI and Grace Diehl of Essexville.

Four grandchildren, one great-grandchild, four brothers, Lawrence "Buck," Curtis, Boyd and Stewart, and one sister, Vina Socier preceded him in death.

Funeral Mass was held from Holy Family Church, Thursday, June 13 with Rev. Fr. George Serour officiating and interment in St. Joseph Cemetery, Unionville.

Unionville Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Those wishing an expression of sympathy are asked to consider Holy Family Church Building Fund or Bay Area Hospice.